Appendix I

Updated List of SC Members

- Liberal Party, **Australia**
- Labour Party, **Australia**
- Hon. Tahir Budagov, Deputy Chairperson and the Head of the Central Office of the New Azerbaijan Party, **Azerbaijan**
- Bangladesh *Awami* League, **Bangladesh**
- Hon. Rana Mohammad Sohail, Member of Parliament, Additional Secretary-General and Presidium Member of the *Jatiya* Party**, Bangladesh**
- Hon. Khuon Sudary, Vice Chairperson of the ICAPP Standing Committee, Member of the Standing Committee of the Cambodian People's Party (CPP), and Deputy Speaker of the National Assembly of **Cambodia**
- HRH Prince Norodom Chakravuth, President and Chairperson of the Standing Committee of *FUNCINPEC* Party, **Cambodia**
- Hon. Guo Yezhou, Vice Chairperson of the ICAPP Standing Committee, Vice Minister of the International Department of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of **China**
- *Bharatiya Janata* Party (*BJP*), **India**
- Indian National Congress, **India**
- Hon. Charles Honoris, Deputy Chairperson of Inter-Parliamentary Cooperation Body of Indonesian Democratic Party of Struggle (*PDI-P*), Member of Parliament in Commission 1 (Foreign Affairs, Security and Defense), **Indonesia**
- Hon. Theo L. Sambuaga, Vice Chairperson, Patron Council of the *Golkar* Party (Party of Functional Groups), former Minister of Man Power, former Minister of Housing and Settlement, and former Chairperson of Foreign Affairs and Defense Committee of the House of Representatives, **Indonesia**
- Hon. Dr. Prof. Hossein Niknam, Vice Minister of the Ministry of Health of Iran and member of Central Committee of Islamic Mo'talefeh Party **Iran**
- Hon. Mohammad Reza Sarmadi, Deputy Secretary-General of International Relations and Member of the Central Committee of Islamic Labour Party, **Iran**
- Liberal Democratic Party, **Japan**
- Constitutional Democratic Party, **Japan**

- Hon. Daulet Karibek, Secretary of the *Amanat* Party, **Kazakhstan**

- Hon. Cho Jeong-sik, Member of the National Assembly (Foreign Affairs & Unification Committee), Chairperson of the ICAPP Parliamentarians' Union in the National Assembly, Secretary-General of the *Minjoo* (Democratic) Party, Republic of **Korea**

- Hon. Ha Tae-keung, Member of the National Assembly (Foreign Affairs & Unification Committee), People Power Party, Vice Chairperson of the ICAPP Parliamentarians' Union in the National Assembly, Republic of **Korea**

- Hon. Youssef Awad, Coordinator for Asia and Overseas of Free Patriotic Movement Party, **Lebanon**

- Hon. Fadi Fawaz, Advisor for Development Affairs to H.E. Saad Hariri, former Prime Minister and Chairperson of Future Movement Party, **Lebanon**

- Hon. Dato' Seri Dr. Shahidan bin Kassim, Member of Parliament, former Minister of Federal Territories, former Minister in the Office of Prime Minister, *Perikatan Nasional* (*PN*), **Malaysia**

- Hon. Datuk Chong Sin Woon, Secretary-General of Malaysian Chinese Association (MCA), **Malaysia**

- Hon. Tselmuun Manlaijav, Head of the International Relations Department of the Mongolian People's Party (MPP), **Mongolia**

- Hon. Narantuya Zagdkhuu, Director of the Policy and Strategy Institute of the Democratic Party of Mongolia, **Mongolia**

- Hon. U Maung Myint, Member of the Central Committee of the Union Solidarity and Development Party (USDP), former Union Minister of Labour, former Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs, **Myanmar**

- Hon. Dr. Rajan Bhattarai, Chief of the International Department and Member of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Nepal (UML), former Foreign Policy Advisor to the Prime Minister of **Nepal**

- Hon. Sujata Koirala, former Deputy Prime Minister and former Minister of Foreign Affairs, Member of Parliament and Central Committee of the Nepali Congress Party, **Nepal**

- Hon. Mushahid Hussain Sayed, Co-Chairperson and Special Rapporteur of the ICAPP Standing Committee, Chairperson of Senate Committee on Defense, former Minister of Information & Broadcasting, Pakistan Muslim League-*Nawaz* (PML-*N*), **Pakistan**

- Hon. Jose De Venecia, Jr., Founder and Chairman Emeritus of the ICAPP Standing Committee, former Speaker of the House of Representatives, **Philippines**

- Hon. Dr. Andrey A. Klimov, Vice Chairperson of the ICAPP Standing Committee, Deputy Secretary-General of the United Russia Party on International Affairs, **Russia**

- Hon. Daya Gamage, former Minister of Primary Industries and Social Empowerment, former Vice Chairperson of the United National Party (UNP), **Sri Lanka**

- Hon. Dilan Perara, former State Minister of Highways, Member of Parliament from the Sri Lanka *Podujana Peramuna* (SLPP), **Sri Lanka**

- Hon. Dr. Nalinee Taveesin, Chairperson of Foreign Affairs Committee of *Pheu Thai* Party, former Thailand Trade Representative, former Minister Attached to Prime Minister's Office, **Thailand**

- Hon. Prakob Chirakiti, former Executive Director of the Democrat Party and former Member of Parliament, **Thailand**

- Hon. Zafer Sırakaya, Member of Parliament for Istanbul, the Deputy Chairman of the AK party in charge of Foreign Affairs, **Türkiye**

- Hon. Ngo Le Van, Vice Chairperson of the Central Commission for External Relations of the Communist Party of **Vietnam**

- Hon. Chung Eui-yong, Chairperson of the ICAPP Standing Committee, former Minister of Foreign Affairs, former Director of the National Security Office, and former Chairperson of Foreign Relations Committee of the *Minjoo* (Democratic) Party, Republic of **Korea**

- Hon. Ahn Myung-soo, Secretary-General of the ICAPP, former Ambassador to Turkmenistan, former Consul-General in Houston of the Republic of **Korea**

Appendix II

Curriculum Vitae of Hon. Kwon Hee-seog

Date of Birth: November 5, 1963 Education:

1986 Graduated from Seoul National University with a BA degree in English Language and Literature

Career:

1986 Joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA) of the Republic of Korea (ROK)

1993-1994 Political Affairs Officer at U.N. Operation in Somalia II (UNOSOM II)

1995-1996 Civil Affairs Officer, U.N. Protection Force in the Former Yugoslavia (UNPROFOR)

1997-2000 First Secretary, ROK Mission to the U.N.

2000-2001 First Secretary, ROK Embassy in Lebanon

2002-2003 Deputy Director, U.N. Policy Division, MOFA

2005-2006 Director, Disarmament and Non-proliferation Division, MOFA

2006-2009 Counsellor, ROK Embassy in Austria and ROK Mission to the International Organizations in Vienna

2009-2010 Visiting Fellow at Monterey Institute of International Studies in California, U.S.

2010-2011 Director, Provincial Reconstruction Team in Parwan, Afghanistan

2011-2013 Minister, ROK Embassy in Spain

2014-2016 Director-General, African and Middle Eastern Affairs Bureau, MOFA

2017-2019 Secretary to the President for National Security Strategy, Office of the President

2019-2022	ROK Ambassador to Italy
2022-2023	ROK Ambassador to ASEAN (Vice Minister Level) in Jakarta, Indonesia

Awards

2011	Service Merit Medal, ROK Government
2022	Knight of Grand Cross, Stella of Italia

Family: Married with one daughter and one son

Appendix III

Report of the ICAPP Mission to Japan

(April 10-11, 2023)

An ICAPP delegation visited Tokyo, Japan during April 10-11, 2023, prior to the 39th Meeting of the ICAPP Standing Committee (SC) to be held in Busan in late April, 2023, to meet with the representatives of ruling Liberal Democratic Party (LDP) and the opposition Constitutional Democratic Party (CDP), and invite them to send their representatives to the SC meeting and discuss future cooperation between the ICAPP and the two parties. The ICAPP delegation was composed as follows:

- Hon. Ha Tae-kyung, Member of the ICAPP SC representing the People Power Party of the Republic of Korea and Member of the National Assembly
- Hon. Lee Dong-ju, Member of the National Assembly of the Republic of Korea from the *Minjoo* (Democratic) Party.
- Hon. Ahn Myung-soo, Secretary General of the Secretariat

The meeting with the representatives of the LDP was held at the LDP Headquarters in the afternoon of Tuesday, April 11, and was attended by following representatives:

- Hon. Shintaro Ito, Member of the House of Representatives and Director General of the International Bureau of the LDP
- Hon. Ryuji Koizumi, Former Director General of the International Department of the LDP and Member of the House of Representatives.

The meeting with the representatives of the CDP was held at CDP Headquarters in the afternoon of Tuesday, April 11, and was attended by following representatives:

- Hon. Masaharu Nakagawa, Member of the House of Representatives and Chairperson of Constitutional Research Committee of the CDP
- Hon. Yoichiro Aoyagi, Senior Deputy Director General of the International Department of the CDP and Member of the House of Representatives
- Hon. Hideshi Futori, Member of the House of Representatives.

Prior to the meeting at the CDP, Hon. Masaharu Nakagawa hosted a lunch for the ICAPP delegation.

The meetings with both LDP and CDP representatives were conducted in a very amicable and productive atmosphere. They all welcomed the ICAPP delegation and expressed their appreciation of the contributions made by the ICAPP and its Secretariat, in particular, to further promoting understanding among the political leaders in the region. The ICAPP delegation reminded that both LDP and CDP had participated in the ICAPP activities in the past, and conveyed the message that all Members of the ICAPP SC would like to have both parties represented in the Standing Committee and participate in the future ICAPP activities. They stressed that, as an advanced democracy, Japan could make further contributions to promoting the ICAPP vision and ideals.

At the meeting with LDP representatives, the ICAPP delegation reminded that the LDP had been an active member in the ICAPP SC during 2010-2014, and requested to send its representative to the forthcoming SC meeting in Busan. LDP representatives said that it would be difficult to nominate a representative to the ICAPP SC, unless the LDP could be more confident to send the representative on a regular basis. They said, however, that, considering the current duration of the *Diet* (Japanese Parliament) which starts in January and usually closes in late January, and also strict restriction on overseas travel of the *Diet* members during the parliamentary sessions, it would be difficult to do so for a time being. They said, nevertheless, would discuss the ICAPP's suggestions within the party. They also pointed out that the LDP is actively seeking bilateral cooperation with other political parties in the region during their parliamentary recess.

At the meeting with CDP representatives. The ICAPP delegation reminded that out that the CDP had maintained close partnership with the ICAPP during 2010-2018, and requested to send its representative to the ICAPP SC as member. CDP representatives noted the significance of cooperation among political parties with diverse ideological backgrounds in the region, and said that the party would give positive consideration to the ICAPP's suggestion, and expressed its interest in the procedural requirements to become a member in ICAPP SC. The ICAPP delegation confirmed that the CDP was already eligible to participate in the ICAPP SC as one of the two major political parties, and, in fact, it had been on the list. CDP representatives agreed to keep in close contact with the ICAPP Secretariat.

Appendix IV

Report of the ICAPP Mission to Australia and New Zealand

(June 14-20, 2023)

An ICAPP delegation visited visited Canberra, Australia and Wellington, New Zealand during June 14-20, 2023 from June 14 to 20, 2023, to meet with the representatives of political parties in Australia and New Zealand to further promote cooperation between the ICAPP and the parties in Australia and New Zealand. The ICAPP delegation was as follows:

- Hon. Cho Jeong-sik, Member of the ICAPP Standing Committee (SC) representing the *Minjoo* (Democratic) Party, Member of the National Assembly
- Hon. Ha Tae-keung, Member of the ICAPP SC representing People Power Party and Member of the National Assembly
- Hon. Kang Hoon-sik, Co-Chairperson of the ICAPP Media Forum, Member of the National Assembly from the *Minjoo* (Democratic) Party
- Hon. Ahn Myung-soo, Secretary-General of the ICAPP Secretariat

In Australia, the ICAPP delegation had meetings as follows:

- Hon. Joanne Ryan, MP of the Australian Labor Party (ALP) and Chief Government Whip, and Hon. Bert Van Manen, MP of the Liberal Party and Chief Opposition Whip on June 15 at National Assembly Building
- Hon. Jennifer Light, National Assistant Secretary of ALP on June 15 at ALP Headquarters
- Hon. Simon Birmingham, Leader of Opposition in the Senate, Liberal Party, and former Minister of Finance and Trade, on June 16 at National Assembly Building

In New Zealand, the ICAPP delegation had meetings as follows:

- Hon. Hon. Greg O'Connor, MP of Labor Party on June 19 at National Assembly Building
- Hon. Gerry Brownlee, MP of National Party on June 19 at National Assembly Building

Meetings with representatives of both governing and opposition parties in Australia and New Zealand were conducted in a very amicable and productive atmosphere. They all welcomed the ICAPP delegation and expressed their appreciation of the contributions made by the ICAPP to further promoting understanding among the political leaders in the region.

At the meeting with both Chief Government Whip and Chief Opposition Whip of the Australian Parliament, the ICAPP delegation invited both governing and opposition parties, the ALP and

the Liberal Party, to participate in the ICAPP SC activities as members. The Chief Whips of both parties appreciated the efforts of the ICAPP to reestablish contact with political parties in Australia. They stressed that the two parties in Australia were closely cooperating with each other on external relations, and said that they would relay the ICAPP's suggestions to the senior leadership of their respective parties. In particular, at the separate meeting with Hon. Simon Birmingham of the Liberal Party, the ICAPP delegation reminded that the Liberal Party had been represented by two former Federal Presidents of the party at the ICAPP SC during 20072019, and requested to resume its activities as SC member. Mr. Birmingham said that he would follow up on the ICAPP's suggestions as well.

At the meetings with representatives of the governing Labor Party and the opposition National Party in New Zealand, the ICAPP delegation briefed the history and current activities of the ICAPP, and invited both parties to participate in the future ICAPP activities. Representatives of both parties expressed keen interest in participating in the future ICAPP activities, but it would be difficult for them to do so until the general elections to be held on October 14 this year.

Appendix V-1

Statement of the ICAPP Mission on the General Elections of Cambodia

(Phnom Penh, July 24, 2023)

1. At the invitation of the National Election Committee (NEC) of the Kingdom of Cambodia, the delegation of the International Conference of Asian Political Parties (ICAPP), headed by Hon. Mushahid Hussain Sayed, Co-Chairperson of the ICAPP Standing Committee and composed of representatives of 12 political parties from 10 countries, visited Cambodia during July 20-24, 2023 as registered observers to monitor the general elections held on July 23, 2023.

2. Upon arrival in Phnom Penh, the members of the ICAPP delegation were given full orientation on the procedures of the general elections and code of conduct for electoral observers by the NEC, the Civil Society Alliance Forum(CSAF) and the Ministry of Interior of the Cambodian government.

3. The members of the ICAPP delegation had the honor to meet with His Excellency Samdech Akha Moha Sena Padei Techo Hun Sen, Prime Minister of Cambodia. They also met with other leaders of the ruling Cambodian People's Party (CPP). The delegation also had meetings with various political parties, including the *Funcinpec* Party and the Grassroots Democratic Party(GDP). Through these meetings, the members of the ICAPP delegation were extensively briefed on various views regarding the general elections in Cambodia.

4. On election day, the ICAPP delegation visited 4 polling stations in different locations, and took note that the elections were being conducted in those stations in a free, transparent, democratic and peaceful manner. Voters were enthusiastic to exercise their right as evidenced by high voter turnout. The members of the ICAPP delegation did neither find any signs of intimidation or coercion on voters during this process, nor experience any hindrance in performing their mission to observe the process. It was also observed that the NEC staff carried out their task in a professional and responsible manner with the assistance of volunteers.

5. The ICAPP delegation was also invited to witness the vote counting process immediately after conclusion of voting. The vote counting process that the ICAPP delegation observed was flawless and immaculate. Representatives from political parties, which registered to compete in the general elections, and representatives

of civil society organizations were also present during the vote counting process. In some vote counting stations, local and international media were invited to provide unimpeded coverage of the process which was broadcast throughout the country. Overall, the general election environment was calm, peaceful, transparent and non-violent under the supervision of the NEC.

6. The delegation did not observe any complaints that may adversely affect the process or results of the 2023 general elections. With the peaceful, effective and transparent election process, as well as the high rate of voter turnout, the ICAPP delegation commends the Cambodian people for this success. We believe that peace and democracy will continue to flourish, benefitting not only the people in Cambodia, but also across the whole region.

7. The ICAPP, one of the biggest political groupings in the world, representing over 350 political parties from 52 countries in Asia, is strongly committed to promoting democracy based on multi-party system. And the members of the ICAPP delegation expressed their strong solidarity and support to all political parties in Cambodia in their endeavor to further strengthen their democratic institutions through free, fair and transparent elections.

Appendix V-2

Report of ICAPP Mission to Observe the General Elections in Cambodia

(Phnom Penh, July 20-24, 2023)

At the invitation of the National Election Committee (NEC) of Cambodia, the International Conference of Asian Political Parties (ICAPP) sent the Mission to Observe the General Elections in Cambodia, which were held on July 23, 2013, during July 20-24, 2023. The mission was led by Hon. Mushahid Hussain Sayed, Co-Chairperson of the ICAPP Standing Committee and Chairman of the Senate Defense Committee of Pakistan, and composed of representatives of 12 political parties from 10 countries, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Indonesia, Iran, Lebanon, Myanmar, Nepal, Pakistan and Vietnam. The mission was also joined by Ho. Ahn Myung-soo, Secretary General of the ICAPP Secretariat. The program of the mission is attached as ***Appendix V-3***

Upon arrival in Phnom Penh, the members of the ICAPP mission were given orientation by the NEC, the Civil Society Alliance Forum (CSAF) and the Ministry of Interior of the Cambodian government on the procedures of the general elections and the code of conduct for electoral observers.

While in Cambodia, the members of the ICAPP mission were honored by a special meeting with His Excellency Samdech Akka Moha Sena Padei Techo Hun Sen, Prime Minister of Cambodia and Chairman of the Cambodian People's Party (CPP). Hon. Annie Sok An, spouse of the late H.E Samdech Vibol Panha Sok An, former Deputy Prime Minister of Cambodia and the ICAPP Standing Committee Membe representing the CPP, hosted a dinner for the ICAPP mission. The member of the ICAPP mission also met other leaders of the CPP, including H.E. Prak Sokhonn, Deputy Prime Minister of Cambodia, and leaders of the *Funcinpec* Party and the Grassroots Democratic Party (GDP).

On Election Day, the ICAPP mission visited four polling stations, including the ones in Santhormok High School and Baktuk High School, and observed administrative and procedural activities being carried out for the elections by NEC staff with the assistance of volunteers. The ICAPP mission was also invited to witness the vote counting process immediately after the conclusion of the voting. Representatives from the political parties that had registered to compete in the general elections and representatives of civil society organizations were also invited to witness the vote counting process. In some vote counting stations, local and international media were invited to provide unimpeded coverage of the process, which was broadcast throughout the country.

In the early morning of July 24, 2023, the four members of the ICAPP Standing Committee, who participated in the mission, i.e. Hon. Mushahid Hussain Sayed of Pakistan, Hon. Dr. Rajan Bhattarai of Nepal, Hon. Maung Myint of Myanmar and Hon. Sujata Koirala of Nepal, held a press conference and issued a statement. Hon. Ahn Myung-soo, Secretary General of the ICAPP Secretariat also attended the press conference. The statement was attached as ***Appendix V-1***

Appendix V-3

Program of the ICAPP Mission
to Observe General Elections in Cambodia
(Phnom Penh, July 20-24 2023)

Thursday, July 20

p.m. **Arrival of Delegates**

- Check-in at Hyatt Regency, Phnom Penh (#55, Street 178, Sangkat Chey Chumnas, Phnom Penh, Cambodia, 1220)

Friday, July 21

08:00 **Registration of Participants**

12:00 **Lunch**
Venue:Hyatt Regency

15:00 **Orientation for the Election Observers** by the National Election Committee (NEC), Civil Society Alliance Forum (CSAF) and the Ministry of Interior
Venue:Sokha Hotel

19:00 **Welcoming Dinner** by H.E. Annie Sok An, Spouse of the late H.E. Samdech Vibol Panha Sok An
Venue: the Commune, H.E. Annie Sok An's Residence

Saturday, July 22

08:30 **Courtesy Call** on H.E. Samdech Akka Moha Sena Padei Techo Hun Sen, Prime Minister
Venue: Peace Palace

12:00 **Lunch**
Venue:Hyatt Regency

14:00 **Meeting with Representatives of Other Political Parties**
Venue:22nd Meeting roomm 7th Meeting Suite, 2nd floor, Hyatt Regency

- Meeting with the leader of the *FUNCINPEC* Party, HRH Prince Norodom Chakravuth, President and Chairperson of the Standing Committee of the *FUNCINPEC* Party
- Meeting with the representatives of the Grassroots Democratic Party

19:30 **Welcoming Dinner** hosted by H.E. Prak Sokhonn, Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of the Ministry Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation
Venue:Sokha Hotel

Sunday, July 23

06:00 **Observation** of Polling Process
Venue: Teacher Training School

09:00 **Breakfast**

	Venue: Hyatt Regency
10:30	**Observation** of Polling Process *Venue: Santhormok High School and Baktuk High School*
11:30	**Lunch** *Venue: Hyatt Regency*
13:30	**Observation** of Polling Process *Venue: Sothearous Secondary School and Primary School*
14:30	**Observation** of the Conclusion of the Polling Process and the Beginning of the Vote Counting Process *Venue: Sothearous Secondary School and Primary School*
17:30	**Issuance of the Statement** of the ICAPP Mission on the Results of Observations of the General Elections in Cambodia *Venue: Hyatt Regency*
20:00	**Dinner** *Venue: Hyatt Regency*

Monday, July 24

08:00	**Press Conference** *Venue: Sokha Hotel*
12:00	**Lunch** *Venue: Hyatt Regency*
p.m.	**Departure of Delegates**

Appendix VI-1

Program

Friday, August 4, 2023

12:00	**Arrival of Delegates** - Check-in at Terelj Hotel/Glory Resort, Ulaanbaatar (Gorkhi Terelj National Park, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia)
19:00	**Welcoming Dinner** hosted by H.E. Mr. Uchral Nyam-Osor, Minister of Digital Development and Communications of Mongolia, President of Social Democratic Youth, Mongolian People's Party, and H.E. Mrs. Nomin Chinbat, Minister of Culture of Mongolia, Vice President of Social Democratic Women, Mongolian People's Party *Venue: Terelj Ballroom, Terelj Hotel* - **Welcoming Remarks** by H. E. Mr. Uchral Nyam-Osor, Minister of Digital Development and Communications of Mongolia, President of the Social Democratic Youth, Mongolian People's Party - **Welcoming Remarks** by H.E. Mrs Nomin Chinbat, Minister of Culture of Mongolia, Vice President of the Social Democratic Women, Mongolian People's Party - **Welcoming Remarks** by Hon. Chung Eui-yong, Chairman of the ICAPP Standing Committee, former Minister of Foreign Affairs, Republic of Korea

Saturday, August 5, 2023

08:00-09:00	**Registration**
09:00-09:30	**Opening Session** *Venue*: *Terelj Ballroom, Terelj Hotel* - ***Opening Remarks*** by Hon. Chung Eui-yong, Chairman of the ICAPP Standing Committee and former Minister of Foreign Affairs, Republic of Korea - ***Opening Remarks*** *by* H.E. Mr.Amarbayasgalan Dashzegve, Minister of Mongolia, Chief Cabinet Secretary, Secretary General of the Mongolian People's Party
09:30-12:00	**1st Plenary Session: 6th Meeting of the ICAPP Youth Wing** *Venue*: *Terelj Ballroom, Terelj Hotel* Moderator: Hon. Batnairamdal Otgonshar, Board Member, Secretary, Vice President of the Social Democratic Youth - **Topic:** Engaging Young People in Social and Political Dialogue for Post-Pandemic Socio-Economic Progress - Adoption of the New Terms of Reference (ToR) and Election of the Bureau of the ICAPP Youth Wing
12:00-12:15	**Group Photo** *Venue*: *The Main Entrance, Terelj Hotel*

12:15-13:30	**Lunch** hosted by the Mongolian People's Party *Venue*: *River view restaurant, Morin Khuur restaurant, Terelj Hotel*
13:30-16:00	**2nd Plenary Session: 7th Meeting of the ICAPP Women's Wing** *Venue*: *Terelj Ballroom, Terelj Hotel* Moderator: Hon. Batnairamdal Otgonshar, Board Member, Secretary, Vice President of the Social Democratic Youth - **Topic**: Promoting Women's Leadership to Achieve a Gender-Responsive Post-Pandemic Recovery - Adoption of the New Terms of Reference (ToR) and Election of the Bureau of the ICAPP Women's Wing
16:00-16:30	**Coffee Break** *Venue: Argali Lounge, Terelj Hotel*
16:30-17:00	**Closing Session** *Venue*: *Terelj Ballroom, Terelj Hotel* - **Summary Report of the Youth Wing Meeting** by H.E. Mr. Uchral Nyam-Osor, Minister of Digital Development and Communications of Mongolia, President of Social Democratic Youth, Mongolian People's Party - **Summary Report of the Women's Wing Meeting** by H.E. Mrs. Nomin Chinbat, Minister of Culture of Mongolia, Vice President of Social Democratic Women, Mongolian People's Party - **Adoption** of the "Ulaanbaatar Statements of the ICAPP Youth Wing and the ICAPP Women's Wing" - **Vote of Thanks** by Hon. Mr. Mushahid Hussain Sayed, Co-Chairman of the ICAPP Standing Committee and Chairman of the Senate Defense Committee, Pakistan
17:00-17:15	**Closing Remarks** by H.E. Zandanshatar Gombojav, Chairman of the State Great *Hural* (Parliament of Mongolia), Board Member of the Mongolian People's Party
18:00-20:00	**Farewell Dinner** hosted by H.E. Mr. Amarbayasgalan Dashzegve, Minister of Mongolia, Chief Cabinet Secretary, Secretary General of the Mongolian People's Party *Venue: Outdoor Terrace, Terelj Hotel*
20:00-22:00	**Evening Cocktail Reception** *Venue: Outdoor Riverside Patio, Terelj Hotel*

Sunday, August 6, 2023

10:00-14:00	**Cultural Performance** *Venue*: *Mongol Culture Park*
14:00-15:00	**Lunch** hosted by Hon. Bat-Erdene Bat-Ulzii, Minister of Environment and Tourism of Mongolia

Venue: *Chinggis Khaan Khuree camp*

15:00-17:00 **Cultural Program**

Venue: *Chinggis Khaan Khuree camp*

- **Greetings** by Hon. Bat-Erdene Bat-Ulzii, Minister of Environment and Tourism of Mongolia
- Mini *Naadam* Festival

18:00-18:30 **Visit to the Chinggis Khaan Statue**

Venue: *Tsonjin Boldog Chinggis Khaan Statue*

Monday, August 7, 2023

12:00 **Departure of Delegates**

Appendix VI-2

List of Participants

I. Political Parties (18 political parties from 14 countries)

Azerbaijan, Republic of

1. New (*Yeni*) Azerbaijan Party (2)

- Hon. **Bakhtiyar Islamov**, Chairman of the Youth Union
- Ms. **Hulya Mammadli**, Chief Advisor of the International Relations and Humanitarian Affairs Department of the Party Central Office

China, People's Republic of

2. Communist Party of China (6)

- Hon. **Guo Yezhou**, Vice Chairman of the ICAPP Standing Committee, Vice Minister of the International Department
- Ms. **Du Dingding**, Deputy Director of the Second Bureau of the International Department
- Mr. **Huang Jun**, Deputy Director of the Japan-Mongolia Division of the International Department
- Ms. **Rui Ruan**, Deputy Director of the First Bureau of the International Department
- Ms. **Wang Meng**, Second Secretary of the International Department
- Mr. **Yiqi Liu**, Secretary to Vice Minister Guo Yezhou

Indonesia, Republic of

3. *Partai Demokrasi Indonesia Perjuangan* (PDI-P) (2)

- Ms. **Amanda Eyklima**, Head of Village & Underdeveloped Area of *Banteng Muda*, Indonesia, (PDI-P Youth Party Wing)
- Ms. **Kanti W. Janis**, Central Board Research Department and Presidium of the Indonesian Women's Caucus

4. *Golkar* Party (1)

- Ms. **Diana Widyastuti**, Member of Central Executive Board, Head of International Relations of the Women's Wing

Iraq, Republic of

5. Kurdistan Democratic Party (3)

- Ms. **Kazhan Mohammed Karim**, Bureau Board Member at KDYU
- Ms. **Naska Saeed Khdir**, Member of the Secretariat Bureau of the Women's Union
- Mr. **Muyasar Ameen**, General Secretary of the Youth Union

Kazakhstan, Republic of

6. *AK Zhol* Democratic Party (2)

- Hon. **Shyngys Riakhanov**, Secretary of the National Council
- Mr. **Olzhas Nuraldinov**, Chairman of the Almaty Branch Office

Korea, Republic of

7. The *Minjoo* (Democratic) Party (6)

- Hon. **Cho Jeong-sik**, Member of the ICAPP Standing Committee, Secretary-General of the *Minjoo* Party, Member of the National Assembly (Foreign Affairs and Unification Committee), Chairperson of the ICAPP Parliamentarians' Union in the National Assembly of Korea
- Hon. **Ko Young-in**, Member of the National Assembly, Deputy Floor Leader, Member of the Health and Welfare Committee, Member of the House Steering Committee
- Ms. **Byeon Da-yeon**, Administrative Director of the ICAPP Parliamentarians' Union of the National Assembly
- Ms. **Choi Minseo**, Secretary of Hon. Cho Jeong-sik
- Ms. **Dolgorsuren Khuvkhukh**, Interpreter of Hon. Ko Youngin and Hon. Kim Seungsu
- Ms. **Enkhzolboo Luvsandash**, Interpreter of Hon. Cho Jeongsik

8. People Power Party (2)

- Hon. **Ha Tae-keung**, Member of the ICAPP Standing Committee, Vice Chairperson of the ICAPP Business Council (IBC), Member of the National Assembly (Foreign Affairs and Unification Committee), Vice Chairperson of the ICAPP Parliamentarians' Union in the National Assembly of Korea
- Hon. **Kim Seung-su**, Member of the National Assembly, Deputy Floor Leader, Member of the Culture, Sports and Tourism Committee

Malaysia

9. Malaysian Chinese Association (MCA) (1)

- Dr. **Tee Ching Seng**, Chairperson of the International Communication & Diplomacy Bureau, Member of the Central Committee

Mongolia

10. Mongolian People's Party (MPP) (43)

- Hon. **Amarbayasgalan D**., Minister of Mongolia, Chief Cabinet Secretary, Secretary General of the MPP
- Hon. **Zandanshatar G**., Chairman of the State Great Hural (Parliament of Mongolia), Board Member
- Hon. **Bayarbaatar B**., Head of the General Commission for Supervision
- Hon. **Chuluunzagd Ts**., Board Member, Secretary
- Hon. **Batnairamdal O**., Board Member, Secretary, Vice President of the Social Democratic Youth
- Hon. **Ariunzaya A**., Board Member, Secretary, Vice President of the Social Democratic Women
- Hon. **Bulgantuya Kh**., Minister of Labor and Social Protection, Member of Parliament, Board Member, President of the Social Democratic Women
- Hon. **Uchral N**., Minister of Digital Development and Communications, Member of Parliament, Board Member, President of the Social Democratic Youth
- Hon. **Nomin Ch**., Minister of Culture, Board Member, Vice President of the Social Democratic Women
- Hon. **Tulga B**., Minister of Mongolia, Chairman of the National Committee for Port Revival, Board Member
- Hon. **Sumiyabazar D**., Governor of the Capital City and the Mayor of Ulaanbaatar,

Board Member, Chairman of the Capital City
- Hon. **Bat-Erdene B**., Minister of Environment and Tourism
- Mr. **Purevdagva B**., Head of the Department of Party Organization, Vice President of the Social Democratic Youth
- Mr. **Bayarkhuu G**., Head of the Department of Media
- Mr. **Bat-Erdene G**., Head of the Department of Treasury
- Mr. **Gankhuleg M**., Deputy Minister of Food, Agriculture, and Light Industry, President of the Social Democratic Students
- Ms. **Saikhansanaa Kh**., Advisor to the Secretary General
- Mr. **Tselmuun M**., Member of the ICAPP Standing Committee, Head of the Foreign Relations Department
- Mr. **Javkhlan N**., Head of Technology and Innovation Division
- Mrs. **Sunjidmaa Ch**., Head of Human Resources and Digital Registration
- Mrs. **Adilbish A**., Head of Public Relations Division
- Mrs. **Bolortuya E**., Head of Media and Publishing Division
- Mr. **Sodmagnai E**., Head of Digital Media Division
- Mrs. **Bumdari D**., Director of the Strategy Academy
- Mrs. **Baasanjargal Kh**., Director of the Human Rights Progressive Policy Institute
- Mr. **Dulguun B**., Director of the Progressive Policy Institute
- Mrs. **Bilguun Ts**., Directory of the Politcomms Institute
- Mr. **Mandkhai M**., Secretary General of the Social Democratic Women
- Mr. **Galsan B**., Secretary General of the Social Democratic Youth
- Mr. **Lkhagvabayar N**., Secretary General of the Social Democratic Students
- Mrs. **Bayarchimeg N**., Member of the Steering Committee of the Social Democratic Women
- Mrs. **Nyamjav Yo**., Member of the Steering Committee of the Social Democratic Women
- Mrs. **Zolzaya J**., Member of the Steering Committee of the Social Democratic Women
- Mrs. **Urantsetseg D**., Member of the Steering Committee of the Social Democratic Women
- Mrs. **Mandukhai N**., Member of the Steering Committee of the Social Democratic Women
- Mrs. **Ariunjargal G**., Member of the Party Conference of the Social Democratic Women
- Mrs. **Garangamurun G**., Representative of the Ulaanbaatar City Council
- Mrs. **Altangunii J**., Member of the Steering Committee of the Social Democratic Women
- Mr. **Tuguldur G**., Executive Vice President of the Social Democratic Youth
- Mr. **Dashnyam G**., Vice President of the Social Democratic Youth
- Mr. **Ochbayar E**., Vice President of the Social Democratic Youth
- Mrs. **Khaliunna T**., Board Member of the Social Democratic Youth
- Mr. **Odbayar B**., Board Member of the Social Democratic Youth

11. Mongolian Democratic Party (MDP) (7)

- Mrs. **Erdenesuvd D**., Member of the ICAPP Standing Committee, Member of the National Policy Committee, Secretary General of the Mongolian Democratic Party
- Mrs. **Narantuya Z**., Director of the Strategy and Policy Research Institute
- Mrs. **Jargalan B**., First Vice President of the Democratic Women's Union

- Mr. **Lkhagvadorj N**., Head of the Secretariat
- Ms. **Khaliun Ch**., Head of Foreign Relations and Cooperation Division
- Mr. **Gansukh N**., Head of the Policy and Strategy Institute
- Ms. **Enkhtuya D**., Representative of the Ulaanbaatar City Council

12. *KHUN* Party (Mongolian Labour Party) (6)

- Mr. **Zoljargal J**., Board Member
- Mrs. **Munkhsoyol B**., Board Member
- Ms. **Uyangakhishig G**., Board Member
- Mr. **Otgontugs B**., Board Member
- Mr. **Altansor Ts**., Board Member
- Mr. **Bolor P**., Secretary

Myanmar, Republic of the Union of

13. Union Solidarity and Development Party (USDP) (2)

- Mr. **Aung Pye Phyo**, Member of the Division Committee
- Ms. **Yin Min Myint Swe**, Member of the Division Committee

Nepal, Federal Democratic Republic of

14. People's Socialist Party (PSP-N) (1)

- Mr. **Bharat Gurung**, International Secretary of the Department of International Relations of the Central Committee

Pakistan, Islamic Republic of

15. Pakistan Muslim League (PML-N) (1)

- Hon. **Mushahid Hussain Sayed**, Co-Chairperson and Special Rapporteur of the ICAPP Standing Committee, Chairperson of the Senate Committee on Defense, Member of the Senate, former Minister of Information & Broadcasting, former Minister of Communication

Thailand, Kingdom of

16. Democrat Party (3)

- Ms. **Pimrapee Phanwichatkul**, former Member of the House of Representatives
- Mr. **Nattakarn Chuchana**, Assistant to Member of the House of Representatives
- Ms. **Piyaporn Phoosuphanusorn**, Assistant of Ms. Pimrapee Phanwichatkul

Türkiye, Republic of

17. Justice and Development Party (*AK Parti*) (2)

- Mr. **Emir Yasin Kekec**, Head of Foreign Affairs of the Youth Branch
- Ms. **Gulcan Chorghay**, Member of Women's Wing Central Decision and Executive Board

Vietnam, Socialist Republic of

18. Communist Party of Vietnam (4)

- Mr. **Thanh Tung Le**, Deputy Director General of the Commission for External Relations of the Central Committee
- Ms. **Anh Ngoc Nguyen**, Senior Officer of the Commission for External Relations of the Central Committee

- Mr. **Hong Son Phan**, Desk Officer of the Commission for External Relations of the Central Committee
- Ms. **Thi Thanh Hang Pham**, Desk Officer of the Commission for External Relations of the Central Committee

II. Office of the Chairperson of the ICAPP Standing Committee (2)

- Hon. **Chung Eui-yong**, Chairperson of the ICAPP Standing Committee, former Minister of Foreign Affairs, former Director of the Office of National Security, and former Chairperson of Foreign Relations Committee of the *Minjoo* (Democratic) Party, Republic of Korea
- Mrs. **Kim Haeng-suhn**, Hon. Chung's spouse

III. Special Participants

Czech Republic (1)

- Mr. **Lukas Janecek**, Deputy Head of Mission, Embassy of the Czech Republic in Ulaanbaatar
-

International Republican Institute (1)

- Mrs. **Enkhmaa Bum-Erdene**, Program Assistant

Japan (1)

- Mr. **Kikuma Shigeru**, Deputy Chief, Embassy of Japan in Ulaanbaatar

Kazakhstan, Republic of (2)

- Mr. **Sabit Negmetjanov**, Advisor to the Ambassador of the Republic of Kazakhstan in Ulaanbaatar
- Ms. **Shynar Zhumataeva**, Counsellor, Embassy of the Republic of Kazakhstan in Ulaanbaatar

Korea, Republic of (1)

- Hon. Dr. **Lee Hye-hoon**, former Member of the National Assembly and former Member of the ICAPP Standing Committee representing the People Power Party

Lao People's Democratic Republic (1)

- Mr. **Soukvisay Linsomphou**, Third Secretary from Lao Embassy in Mongolia

Poland, Republic of (2)

- H.E. **Krzysztof Bojko Ewa Bojko**, Ambassador of the Embassy of Poland in Ulaanbaatar
- Mrs. **Ewa Bojko**, Spouse of H.E. Krzysztof Bojko Ewa Bojko, Embassy of Poland in Ulaanbaatar

The Russian Federation (1)

- Mrs. **Alyona Vladimirovna**, Embassy of the Russian Federation in Ulaanbaatar

United Nations and Development Programme (1)

- Mr. **Gerelt-Od Erdenebileg**, United Nations Development Programme

Vietnam, Socialist Republic of (1)

- H. E. **Doan Khanh Tam**, Ambassador of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam to Mongolia, Head of the Delegation of the Communist Party of Vietnam

IV. ICAPP Secretariat (4)

- Hon. **Kwon Hee-seog**, Secretary-General, former Ambassador to Italy and Ambassador to ASEAN in Jakarta of the Republic of Korea
- Ms. **Park Hyun-ryang**, Director
- Ms. **Na Gi-ryoung**, Program Officer
- Ms. **Lee Yeryoung**, Staff

V. Observers

Socialist International (3)

- Ms. **Benedicta Lasi**, Secretary General of the Socialist International, **Republic of Ghana**
- Ms. **Hana Jalloul Muro**, Vice President, Secretary of International Policy and Development Cooperation at Spanish Socialist Workers Party, **Kingdom of Spain**
- Hon. **Temirlan Sultanbekov**, Social Democrats Party's Chairman and Vice President of the Socialist International, **Republic of Kyrgyzstan**

Total Number of Participants by Groups

	ICAPP	Mongolia
Political Parties	38	56
ICAPP Secretariat	6	-
Special Participants	12	-
Observers	3	-
Total	59	56

Appendix VI-3

Ulaanbaatar Statement of the 6th Meeting of the ICAPP Youth Wing.

1. We, the youth representatives of 18 political parties from 14 countries, gathered in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia, for the 6th Meeting of the ICAPP Youth Wing, following the five previous meetings in Kuala Lumpur (2012), Baku (2013, 2019), Colombo (2014), Moscow (2018). The Meeting was hosted by the Mongolian People's Party (MPP) from August 4 to 7, 2023, under the main theme of "Engaging Young People in Social and Political Dialogue for Post-Pandemic Socio-Economic Progress."

2. First of all, we renewed our commitment to further deepening solidarity among the youth in the region by strengthening our support for youth-led and youth-focused activities in fostering more stable and equitable societies. In this regard, we recalled the World Program of Action for Youth (WPAY), adopted as U.N. General Assembly Resolution No. 50/81 on December 14, 1995, and its follow-up tools and endeavors for implementation as practical guidelines for support at the national and international levels to further promote the well-being of youth.

3. In particular, we acknowledged the severity of the challenges faced by the youth in the post-pandemic era, such as increasing difficulties in the youth labour market and less favorable financing conditions amplified by the high inflation rate in the aftermath of the Covid-19 pandemic. In this regard, we stressed the need for close cooperation and coordination among political parties to share the results of their in-depth analysis and assessment regarding the impacts of the pandemic on the youth, and to formulate common policies that will serve to promote the participation of the youth in socio-economic activities. Given the Youth Bulge in several countries of the ICAPP region, the role and importance of Youth in decision-making has become pivotal.

4. We called for further cooperation among all stakeholders, including governments, political parties and civil societies, to provide equitable access to crucial elements in fostering a sustainable labor market for the youth, such as information technology, education and training, healthcare and financing. In this regard, we stressed the need for the elimination of all discrimination against the disabled, migrant and indigenous youth.

5. We underlined the importance of increased cooperation with U.N. agencies, as well as relevant stakeholders, to address challenges hindering youth development, thus fulfilling the pledge of the 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda to leave no one behind.

6. We expressed our profound gratitude to the MPP and the Mongolian government for their excellent arrangements to ensure the success of the 6th Meeting of the ICAPP Youth Wing. Our special thanks also went to his excellency H.E. Prime Minister Luvsannamsrain Oyun-Erdene, Chairman of the MPP, Hon. Amarbayasgalan Dashzegve, Secretary-General of the MPP, Hon. Uchral Nyam-Osor, Minister of Digital Development and Communications and President of Social Democratic Youth of the MPP, for their support and warm hospitality during the meeting.

Adopted unanimously on this 5th day of August, 2023 in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia

Appendix VI-4

Ulaanbaatar Statement of the 7th Meeting of the ICAPP Women's Wing

1. We, the women representatives of 18 political parties from 14 countries, gathered in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia, for the Seventh Meeting of the ICAPP Women's Wing, after the previous meetings in Baku (2013, 2015, 2019), Colombo (2014), Kuala Lumpur (2016), and Moscow (2018). The Meeting was hosted by the Mongolian People's Party (MPP) from August 4 to 7, 2023, under the main theme of "Promoting Women's Leadership to Achieve a Gender-Responsive Post-Pandemic Recovery."

2. First of all, we confirmed our commitment to promoting gender equality and women's empowerment in attaining sustainable and inclusive societies with equitable economic growth and development. In this regard, we recalled the Universal Declaration of Human Rights proclaimed by the U.N. on December 10, 1948, and other human rights instruments which enshrine the obligation of the States, in particular, to prevent any form of discrimination against women.

3. We recognized the need for full and equal participation of women in the discussion and decision-making process at the local, national, regional and global levels to ensure the inclusive and equitable recovery from the pandemic, and called upon all stakeholders, governments, political parties and civil societies, to continue their efforts to further enhance women's engagement at all levels. As such, we encouraged designing and implementing legal frameworks that promote and protect fundamental rights and freedom by women and in which their violations or abuses are not tolerated.

4. We called upon all stakeholders to integrate a gender perspective into the design, implementation, and evaluation of development policies that may especially require adjustment due to the impact of the pandemic. In this regard, we noted that higher involvement of women is vital in areas of human development so that the concerns of women can be better woven into the fabric of society. We also stressed the need for the elimination of all discrimination against the disabled, migrant and indigenous women.

5. We underlined the importance of increased cooperation with U.N. agencies, as well as relevant stakeholders, to address challenges hindering women's empowerment, thus fulfilling the pledge of the 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda to leave no one behind.

6. We thanked the MPP and the Mongolian government for their excellent arrangements for the success of the 7th Meeting of the ICAPP Women's Wing. Our special thanks went to H. E. Prime Minister Luvsannamsrain Oyun-Erdene, Chairman of the MPP, Hon. Amarbayasgalan Dashzegve, Secretary-General of the MPP and Hon. Nomin Chinbat, Minister of Culture and Vice President of Social Democratic Women of the MPP, for their support and warm hospitality during the meeting.

Adopted unanimously on this 5th day of August 2023 in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia.

Appendix VII-1

Invitation Letter

September 27, 2023

Dear Distinguished Members of the Standing Committee,

This is to invite you and/or your representatives, and journalists in your country to the 6th Meeting of the ICAPP Media Forum to be held in Seoul, Republic of Korea during November 17-19, 2023, under the theme of. the "Interface of Political Parties and Media in Building an Asian community." The concept paper and the tentative program of the meeting are attached herewith.

As you may recall, the ICAPP Media Forum was launched in September 2015 to promote cooperation between political parties and media to cooperate with political parties and the media in building a peaceful and prosperous community in Asia, in recognition of the role of media as a catalyst for exchanges and cooperation among nations in the region through dissemination of information, thus contributing to the promotion of understanding between the people.

SC Members are kindly requested to confirm their participation or to designate their representatives and journalists in the 6th Meeting of the ICAPP Media Forum at their earliest convenience, and not later than Friday, October 20, 2023, by completing the electronic registration form at https://forms.gle/akfwudhcWNWVQmvk8.

The ICAPP Secretariat will provide local accommodation in Seoul for all participants in the meeting for up to three (3) nights during November 17-19, 2023. In this regard, due to budget restraints, the Secretariat will provide one round-trip economy-class air ticket to one journalist from each country which is represented in the ICAPP Standing Committee.

Please do not hesitate to contact the ICAPP Secretariat should you have any questions regarding the 6th Meeting of the ICAPP Media Forum.

With best regards.

Chung Eui-yong
Chairperson of the ICAPP Standing Committee
Former Minister of Foreign Affairs
Seoul, Republic of Korea

Kwon Hee-seog
Secretary General
ICAPP Secretariat
Seoul, Republic of Korea

Attachments: Concept paper, and Tentative program

Appendix VII-2

Tentative Program

As of Sep. 27, 2023

Friday, Nov. 17

p.m.	**Arrival of the ICAPP SC Members and Journalists** - Check-in at The Plaza Hotel (Address: 119 Sogong-ro, Jung-gu, Seoul)
19:00	**Welcoming Reception** hosted by Hon. Chung Eui-yong, Chairman of the ICAPP Standing Committee and former Minister of Foreign Affairs, Republic of Korea - *Venue:* Ruby Room, (The Plaza Hotel, 22F)

Saturday, Nov. 18

08:30	**Depart Hotel**
09:15-09:45	**Opening Session** - *Venue: Sarangjae* Hall, National Assembly - **Opening Remarks** by Hon. Kang Hoon-sik, Co-Chairperson of the ICAPP Media Forum, Member of the National Assembly, Vice Chairperson of the ICAPP Parliamentarians' Union in the National Assembly, Republic of Korea - **Congratulatory Remarks** by Hon. Chung Eui-yong, Chairman of the ICAPP Standing Committee and former Minister of Foreign Affairs, Republic of Korea - **Welcoming Remarks** by _____
09:45-10:00	**Group Photo Taking**
10:00-12:30	**Plenary Session:** "Role of the media in building an Asian community and political democratization" - Chair:
12:30-12:45	**Coffee Break**
12.45-13:00	**Closing Session** - Chair: _____ - Adoption of Seoul Statement
13:00-14:30	**Lunch** hosted by Hon. Cho Jeong-sik, Member of ICAPP SC, Chairperson of the ICAPP Parliamentarians' Union in the National Assembly of Korea, Secretary-General of the *Minjoo* (Democratic) Party, Republic of Korea - *Venue:* _____
15:00-17:30	**Tour of _____ (optional)**
18:30	**Dinner** hosted by _____ - *Venue:* _____

Sunday, Nov. 19

07:30	**Depart Hotel (optional)**
09:20-11:20	**Tour of** *Paju* City, *Gyeonggi* Province
11:40-13:00	**Lunch** - *Venue*: Farmer"s Table - *Add.: 59-77 Heyri Village-gil, Tanhyeon-myeon, Paju-City* - *Tel: 031-948-6225*
14:30	**Return to Hotel**
p.m.	**Departure of Delegate**

Appendix VII-3

Concept Paper

At the 16th Meeting of the ICAPP Standing Committee(SC), held in Seoul in October 2011, the SC Members agreed that each Member nominate up to two journalists from each country to set up the ICAPP Media Forum (hereinafter referred to as "the Forum"). The Forum was to be composed of SC Members and the two journalists from each country which is represented in the SC. The main objectives of the Forum were to promote more interaction between the ICAPP and peoples in the region through wider media coverage of the ICAPP activities, and also to promote communication, interaction and cooperation between the ICAPP and the international media to build an Asian community. It was also agreed that the meetings of the Forum will be held regularly, at least once in two years, preferably back-to-back with either the General Assembly or the SC Meetings.

Meetings of the Media Forum have been held in Seoul (September 2015), Kuala Lumpur (September 2016), Seoul (July 2017), Moscow (October 2018), and Istanbul (November 2022).

At the 1st Meeting of the Forum held in Seoul in September 2015, the participants shared the view that the ICAPP activities need to be more focused on specific issues which are directly related to lives of the peoples in the region, such as poverty alleviation, environmental protection, women's empowerment, etc. They recommended the ICAPP to be more attentive to the need to reduce all forms of conflicts among countries in the region. They also encouraged the ICAPP, which has now become a positive political force representing more than 350 political parties in the region, to reach out to other regions in the world and eventually develop into a global institution encompassing all political parties regardless of differences in ideological orientation.

At the 5th Meeting of the Forum held in Istanbul last November, the participants confirmed that the Forum was a useful platform where political parties and the media in the region could cooperate to promote and strengthen communication and to achieve the ICAPP's goal of building an Asian Community of peace, stability, harmony and prosperity. They also recommended to install more effective institutional mechanisms to encourage more journalists to participate in this forum and agreed to hold the 6th Meeting of the Forum in the near future.

Against this background, considering the increasingly critical role of media in modern society, and after consultation with some SC Members, The ICAPP Secretariat has proposed to host the 6th Meeting of the Forum in Seoul, Republic of Korea during November 17-19, 2023 in close cooperation with the ICAPP Parliamentarians' Union in the National Assembly of the Republic of Korea. The main theme of the meeting will be "Interface of Political Parties and Media in Building an Asian community."

In this regard, it is also proposed to revise the Terms of Reference (TOR) of the Forum, which was adopted at the 1st Meeting of the Forum on September 17, 2015, to reflect the current state of activities of the Forum at the 6th Meeting. The "Seoul Statement" that captures the key outcome of the meeting will also be adopted at the closing session. The drafts of the revised TOR and the Seoul statement will be circulated to all SC Members and the participants prior to the meeting.

Appendix VIII-1

ICAPP Business Council

※ *Originally Adopted at the 37th Meeting of the ICAPP Standing Committee on 11 June 2022*
※ *Newly Adopted at the 38th Meeting of the ICAPP Standing Committee on 17 November 2022*

1. Members

The ICAPP Business Council will be composed of the following members:

(1) Members of the ICAPP Standing Committee and invited representatives of principal political parties in Asia
(2) Up to two (2) business leaders recommended from countries represented in the ICAPP Standing Committee and countries of principal political parties in Asia
(3) Other business leaders invited by the ICAPP Standing Committee or the Bureau of the IBC in consultation with the ICAPP Standing Committee.

2. Function

The main functions of the ICAPP Business Council will be as follows:

(1) to expand the roles of the political parties in fields of business promotion
(2) to facilitate potential business and commercial cooperation among Members of the ICAPP Standing Committee and principal political parties
(3) to promote economic collaboration among the ICAPP and principal political parties in other continents

3. Election of the IBC Bureau

The ICAPP Business Council will elect two (2) Co-Chairpersons, one from the ICAPP Standing Committee and one from business leader representatives, and six (6) Vice-Chairpersons, three (3) from the ICAPP Standing Committee and three (3) from business representatives, who will form the Bureau of the ICAPP Business Council.

The terms of office will be two (2) years each.

4. Meetings

The ICAPP Business Council will hold its meeting once a year or every other year, either as a stand-alone or a back-to-back meeting with the ICAPP General Assembly or Meetings of the ICAPP Standing Committee.

The Bureau of the ICAPP Business Council can meet whenever it deems necessary online or offline.

Appendix VIII-2

Terms of Reference

ICAPP Youth Wing

※ Based on the decisions reached at the Meetings of the ICAPP Youth Wing, Bureau Meetingsof the ICAPP Youth Wing, and the Meetings of the ICAPP Standing Committee.

1. Function

The main functions of the ICAPP Youth Wing will be to promote active participation of youngpoliticians in the ICAPP activities and to help young people to explore and strengthen their capabilities as political leaders.

2. Participation

The activities of the ICAPP Youth Wing will be open to the representatives of all the politicalparties, which are eligible to participate in the ICAPP activities in accordance with the ICAPPCharter.

3. Meetings

The Meeting of the ICAPP Youth Wing will be held on a regular basis, at least once in two years.

4. Election of the Bureau

The Bureau of the ICAPP Youth Wing will be composed of one Chairperson and up to four Vice-Chairpersons.

The Chairperson will be nominated by the political party hosting the Meeting of the ICAPP Youth Wing, and serve in the position until the next Meeting of the ICAPP Youth Wing.

The Vice-Chairpersons will be nominated by the Chairperson of the ICAPP Youth Wing, in consultation with the Bureau Members of the ICAPP Standing Committee.

The nominations of the Chairperson and the Vice-Chairpersons will be confirmed by the Plenary Session of the Meeting.

Appendix VIII-3

Terms of Reference

ICAPP Women's Wing

※ Based on the decisions reached at the Meetings of the ICAPP Women's Wing, Bureau Meetings of the ICAPP Women's Wing, and the Meetings of the ICAPP Standing Committee.

1. Function

The main functions of the ICAPP Women's Wing are to promote women politicians to exchange information and experiences on the difficulties faced by women, and suggest policyrecommendations to advance peace for all, in line with the primary objectives of the ICAPP.

2. Participation

The activities of the ICAPP Women's Wing will be open to the representatives of all the political parties, which are eligible to participate in the ICAPP activities in accordance with theICAPP Charter.

3. Meetings

The Meeting of the ICAPP Women's Wing will be held on a regular basis, at least once in twoyears.

4. Election of the Bureau

The Bureau of the ICAPP Women's Wing will be composed of one Chairperson and up to fourVice-Chairpersons.

The Chairperson will be nominated by the political party hosting the Meeting of the ICAPPWomen's Wing, and serve in the position until the next Meeting of the ICAPP Women's Wing.

The Vice-Chairpersons will be nominated by the Chairperson of the ICAPP Women's Wing, inconsultation with the Bureau Members of the ICAPP Standing Committee.

The nominations of the Chairperson and the Vice-Chairpersons will be confirmed by thePlenary Session of the Meeting.

Appendix VIII-4

Terms of Reference

ICAPP Tourism Promotion and Inter-City Cooperation (TOPIC) Council

※ *Adopted at the 37th Meeting of the ICAPP Standing Committee on 11 June 2022.*

1. Objectives

The ICAPP TOPIC Council will pursue the following objectives for the promotion of tourism:

(1) To develop the roles and objectives of the political parties for promoting close cooperation for sustainable and dynamic tourism which will consolidate friendship among the people in the ICAPP Member countries through tourism;
(2) To promote prosperity in the ICAPP Member countries through marketing tourist destinations and the development of new tourism areas;
(3) To contribute to developing human resources and tourism sectors and generating job opportunities as well as creating spill-over effects in education and healthcare;
(4) To encourage strong and effective democratic local self-government in the ICAPP Member countries;
(5) To ensure cooperation in developing and supporting the smart city programs on technology application and capacity building for a more livable democratic and innovative city community;
(6) To develop policies, programs and initiatives for tourism promotion and inter-city cooperation within the framework of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (UNSDGs), demonstrating values and objectives of the ICAPP.

2. Members

The ICAPP TOPIC Council will be composed of the following members:

(1) Members of the ICAPP Standing Committee;
(2) Representatives of the local governments and the tourism promotion agent whom the ICAPP Standing Committee Members and the ICAPP Secretariat will consult and decideto invite

3. Election of the Bureau

(1) The ICAPP TOPIC Council will elect two Co-Chairpersons from the ICAPP StandingCommittee and/or heads of the local governments.
(2) The term of office will be one term for two years.
(3) The ICAPP Member country who hosts the meeting may be given priority to serve as aone-term Chairperson after the hosting of the meeting.

4. Meetings

(1) The Meeting of the ICAPP TOPIC Council will be held at least once a year.

(2) The ICAPP Standing Committee Members, representatives of cities, and Organizations of Tourism Promotion will be invited.

5. Host Responsibility

(1) The host of the meeting shall bear the costs of logistical arrangements including accommodation and conference facilities as well as domestic transportation for the participants.

(2) The participants will be composed of the members and guests that the host and ICAPP Secretariat agree to invite.

6. Coordination with the Secretariat

(1) The Bureau of the ICAPP TOPIC Council shall closely coordinate with the Secretary General of the ICAPP in arranging all activities.

(2) The joint statement and outcome booklet of the meeting, if any, will be drafted by both the ICAPP Secretariat and the host, and circulated to all participating delegations two weeks before and after the meeting.

(3) Participating members are encouraged to submit to the ICAPP Secretariat two weeks before the meeting their proposals on the statement that they want to be reflected in the joint statement.

Appendix VIII-5

Terms of Reference

Asian Cultural Council

※ *Adopted at the 28th Meeting of the ICAPP Standing Committee on 7 July 2017.*

1. Background

Culture is intrinsic and vital to our life. It also contributes to administration of one another cultures, and mutual understanding among peoples and countries through cultural exchanges.Established under the ICAPP, the Asian Cultural Council serves as a propeller for cultural exchanges and a platform for discussion on cultural, art and cultural tourism related issues among its members. The council provides key recommendations and advices to the StandingCommittee of the ICAPP on ongoing arts and culture related issues and activities.

2. Objectives

Asian Cultural Council encourages and promotes culture in order to enhance and enrich quality of life, prosperity and exchange of people for a better understanding and trust amongcountries.

3. Mandate

The Asian Cultural Council will:

- initiate cultural exchanges and programs to enhance mutual understanding and trustamong Asian Countries;
- initiate cultural cooperation with international organizations;
- liaise with the ICAPP Standing Committee as necessary;
- provide key recommendations to the Standing Committee on cultural and tourismpolicies when requested by the Committee; and
- inform the ICAPP Standing Committee on ongoing arts and tourism events and culturalrelated issues among Asian Countries.

4. Bureau

- Cambodia as Founding Chairman;
- China, Nepal and Russia as Vice-Chairpersons;
- The Asian Cultural Council will elect one Co-Chairperson and three Vice-Chairpersons for the term of two years.

5. Membership

- All country members of ICAPP are members of the Asian Cultural Council.

6. Secretariat

The Secretariat of the ICAPP is tasked with assisting the Asian Cultural Council in assumingtheir role and coordinating activities.

7. Meeting Arrangement

The Asian Cultural Council holds its meeting once a year or biannually with rotation among Asian Country Members to discuss various matters concerning culture and cultural tourism initiatives.

Any special workshop on any specific issues, which are relevant to the Asian Cultural Council,may be held upon the Bureau Members.

8. Decision of the Meetings

The Bureau members of the Asian Cultural Council will make decisions on all issues by consensus of the members.

9. Resources and Budget

The primary expenses include logistical arrangements for the Asian Cultural Council, i.e., conference facilities, domestic transportation, etc. the primary expenses shall not include, inter alia, international transportation to and from the location of the Asian Cultural Council and accommodation.

For the purpose of holding the Asian Cultural Council, the countries, hosting the Asian Cultural Council may seek voluntary contributions from members of the ICAPP and other organizations.

10. Main Activities

The Asian Cultural Council's main activities will include:

- cultural exchanges i.e. cultural shows, exhibition, cultural heritage site visits onceevery two years by rotation among member countries of Asian Cultural Council;
- establishment of shared cultural programs to enhance measures/mechanism forprotection and promotion of cultural heritage;
- establishment of a network for promotion of cultural diversity among the AsianCountries;

- establishment of a platform for discussions on various aspects of arts and culture forcultural policy making; and
- Promotion of cultural tourism as a mean of cultural exchange.

11. Additional Amendments

TOR may be amended or added upon request of any members by consensus.

Appendix VIII-6

Terms of Reference

ICAPP Program for Disasters Assistance

※*Adopted at the 3rd Steering Committee Meeting of the IMEF, 1 March 2015.*

1. New Name of the Group

The organization's name, formerly IMEF, was changed to ICAPP Program for Disasters Assistance (IPDA) to correctly represent the intended direction and scope of the group's activities. IPDA's activities include not only rescue and relief operations in the initial aftermathof natural disasters, but also long-term and wide-range assistance for rehabilitation andreconstruction to the affected regions and their residents.

2. Mandates of the IPDA

The following mandates were adopted for the IPDA:

a. immediate relief assistance to be rushed in the wake of emergency created by natural disasters such as earthquakes, floods, tsunamis, typhoons, cyclones, forest fires, etc.

b. medium- and long-term assistance for rehabilitation such as continued provision of medicine and medical personnel, counseling services, food rations, shelters, sanitary facilities, etc.

3. Core Activities of the IPDA

The following has been identified as core activities of the IPDA:

a. form and continuously update an emergency support network throughout Asia by maintaining contact information such as addresses, emails, phone and fax numbers of national units, NGO's and other regional and international organizations, including the UN Office for Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (UN-OCHA), United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR), United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction,etc.;

b. coordinate relief and rehabilitation efforts among all the players to ensure most timely andproper delivery of assistance to the affected regions and people;

c. channel its relief and rehabilitation works with relevant programs carried out by the respective governments and related humanitarian organizations;

d. raise public awareness on the urgency of the circumstances caused by natural disasters through dissemination of information via all available channels;

e. hold regular workshops on disaster preparedness and risk reduction by sharing

experiences and research outcomes among ICAPP members on disaster prevention, early warning, andtimely and effective response.

4. Structure of the IPDA

a. The IPDA Steering Committee will be established to coordinate and oversee the activitiesof the IPDA. The Chairman of the IPDA and four members of the ICAPP Standing Committee, i.e. Chairman, Co-Chairman, Vice Chairman and Special Rapporteur, will be*ex officio* members of the IPDA Steering Committee. Other Standing Committee memberswho wish to make contributions to the work of the IPDA will also be invited to join the Steering Committee as its members.

b. The meetings of the IPDA Steering Committee will be held, in principle, on the sidelines of the ICAPP Standing Committee. Separate meetings may be convened, however, in thecountries affected by disasters to more efficiently coordinate relief and rehabilitation activities.

c. The IPDA Secretariat will be established in Kuala Lumpur. IPDA-Malaysia will be in charge of implementing coordinated relief and rehabilitation activities for the regions andpeople directly affected by natural disasters. The Secretariat will also submit regular reports on its activities to the ICAPP Standing Committee.

d. Members of the ICAPP Standing Committee will be recommended to set up national unitsof the IPDA in their respective countries to coordinate relief and rehabilitation activities in disaster-affected areas in their countries with the IPDA Secretariat.

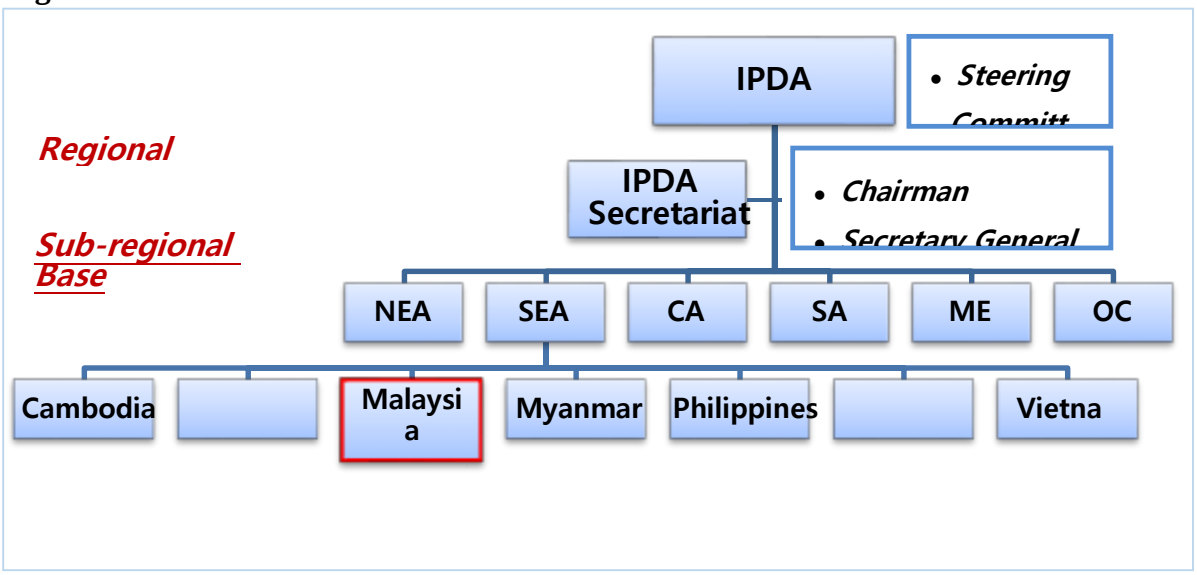
e. Members of the ICAPP Standing Committee may also consider designating one country as the sub-regional base of the IPDA in the six sub-regions, i.e. Northeast Asia, SoutheastAsia, Central Asia, West Asia, Middle East and Oceania, to facilitate sub-regional coordination and cooperation in times of emergency.

5. Recommendations for Immediate Actions by the IPDA

a. Rehabilitation efforts for the victims of typhoons and floods in the Philippines and Malaysia.

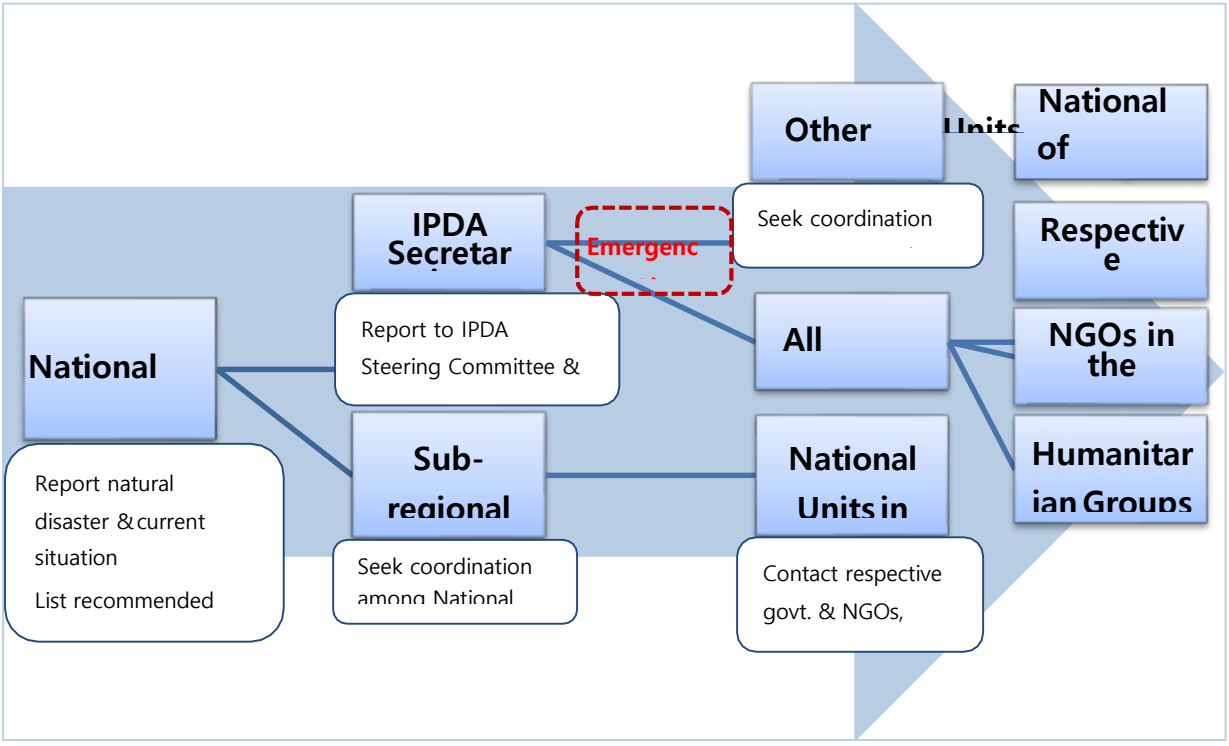
b. Relief and rehabilitation programs for victims in coastal regions of Asia, who have been affected by consequences of climate change such as drought, receding water levels, desertification, etc.

6. Organizational Chart of the IPDA



- NEA (Northeast Asia): China, Japan, Republic of Korea, Mongolia
- CA (Central Asia): Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan, Russia
- ME (Middle East): Iran, Lebanon, Turkey
- OC (Oceania): Australia
- SA (South Asia): Bangladesh, India, Nepal, Pakistan, Sri Lanka

7. Emergency Situation Flow Chart



Appendix VIII-7

Terms of Reference

ICAPP Media Forum

※ *Adopted at the 1st Meeting of the ICAPP Media Forum on 17 September 2015.*

1. Members

The ICAPP Media Forum will be composed of the following members:

(1) Members of the ICAPP Standing Committee
(2) Up to two journalists from each country which is represented in the ICAPP Standing Committee

2. Function

The main function of the ICAPP Media Forum will be to promote communication, interaction and cooperation between international media and the ICAPP to build an Asian community, and to promote more interaction between the ICAPP and peoples in the region through more diversified and wider media coverage of the ICAPP activities.

3. Election

The ICAPP Media Forum will elect two Co-Chairpersons, one from the ICAPP Standing Committee and one from media representatives, and four Vice Chairpersons, two from the ICAPP Standing Committee and two from media representatives. The terms of office will be two years each.

4. Meetings

The meeting of the ICAPP Media Forum will be held regularly, at least once in two years, preferably back-to-back with either the General Assembly or the Standing Committee Meeting of the ICAPP.

Appendix IX

Hon. Audrey Azoulay
Director-General
United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
Paris, France

September 25, 2023

Dear Director-General,

It is with great pleasure and privilege for us, the undersigned, to inform you that the Members of the Standing Committee (SC) of the International Conference of Asian Political Parties (ICAPP) have recently taken the decision by consensus on September 22, 2023, and authorized us to take necessary measures to extend the Cooperation Agreement between the ICAPP and the UNESCO (hereinafter referred to as the "Agreement"), which was signed in Siem Reap, Cambodia on December 4, 2018, by Secretary General of the ICAPP Secretariat, Director General of the UNESCO and Chairperson of the Asian Cultural Council (ACC), for a period of five years in accordance with Article 6 of the Agreement.

We are also pleased to inform you that, during the last five years since signing the Agreement, the ICAPP has incorporated the letters and the spirits of the Agreement in all of ICAPP activities, such as the biennial General Assemblies, regular Standing Committee meetings and all the meetings of its affiliated groups, including the ACC, ICAPP Media Forum, ICAPP Women's Wing and ICAPP Youth Wing. Some of the reports of these activities are attached herewith for your ready reference.

It is our firm belief that by extending the Agreement, the ICAPP and the UNESCO will further expand cooperation on matters of common interest with a view to promoting the attainment of the objectives laid down by the Constitution of UNESCO and by the Charter of ICAPP, as stipulated in Articles 1 and 2 of the Agreement.

In this regard, we will consider with your consent that this letter and your affirmative reply in writing will constitute the agreement by both organizations to extend the Agreement for a period of five years starting from December 4, 2023.

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Seoul, Republic of Korea

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Phnom Penh, Kingdom of Cambodia